

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

ELAYNE SHEPHERD,

Plaintiff,

v.

ICT GROUP, INC.,

Defendant.

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CIVIL ACTION

NO. 02-4657

SCHEDULING ORDER

AND NOW, this 17 th day of September, 2002, after a telephone conference between the Court and the parties, it is hereby ORDERED that:

1. the parties shall exchange the initial disclosures required by Rule 26(a)(1) starting September 17, 2002;
2. all discovery shall be completed on or before December 17, 2002;
3. all dispositive motions, if any, shall be filed within fourteen (14) days after the close of discovery;
4. if the parties do not file any dispositive motions, the parties' Joint Pretrial Order shall be filed on or before January 14, 2003. If dispositive motions are filed, the parties' Joint Pretrial Order shall be filed within fourteen (14) days after the Court's disposition of the dispositive motions. This case shall be immediately placed in the Court's trial pool, subject to the rules published in the *Legal Intelligencer*, on the date of the filing of the Joint Pretrial Order; and

5. proposed changes to the foregoing schedule shall be considered by written motion only.

BY THE COURT:

Robert F. Kelly,

Sr. J.